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VIRGINIA Populists are making preparations for an active campaign this fall.

THE whisky trust has decided on a shut down of all its distilleries for an indefinite period.

MINISTER BLOUNT has forwarded his resignation to Washington. No cause for this step is given the public.

E. E. Ellinwood, the new United States District Attorney, intends to make Prescott his home for the future.

THE President will certainly recommend to Congress the imposition of an income tax at its extra session.

THE work of weeding out illegal pensioners under the recent construction of the disability act has been begun.

THE Anti-Trust Convention at Chicago has recommended the formation of national and state anti-trust organizations.

DR. THOMAS W. EVANS, the once famous dentist of Paris, is about to erect a home for American girls who go to that city to study.

EDWIN BOOTH, the noted actor, died on the morning of the 7th at 1:15. He was buried at Mount Auburn cemetery, Boston.

SENATOR MANDERSON thinks that the Sherman law's repeal can only be accomplished by the enactment of a free coinage measure.

THE trial of Lizzie Borden, for the murder of her father and step-mother in Fall River, began at New Bedford, Mass., on the 6th inst.

THE Los Angeles Times says it is an open question whether the original Pegleg who found that mine, or the one who refinds it, is or was the bigger liar.

It is stated that the rate of taxation is so high in Russia that one-half the income of the people is used in paying the demands of the government.

BANDITS, supposed to have been led by one of the notorious Starr brothers, recently held up the People's bank at Bentonville, Arkansas, and got away with the booty.

It is said that grave errors have been discovered in connection with the trial and conviction of the Panama Canal wreckers that will result in the release of all the prisoners.

THE Prescott Courier says: Keep your eye on the fellows who are heating up to pop out as populists and make up your mind to swear eternal allegiance to the democratic party, which is the people's party.

THE extradition between this country and Russian will go into effect on the 24th. The most important feature in the treaty is that it makes attempts on the head of the governments or accessories extraditable.

THE Inventive Age says: It was a Chinaman who, nearly five thousand years ago, discovered the principle of a water clock. Remarkable to state, the inventor's name, Hwang Ti, has been preserved. The rude original consisted of two copper vessels, one above and one below, the former having a hole in the bottom through which the water percolated into the latter, where there was a float, the gradual rising of which indicated periods of time.

SUNSTROKES are beginning to take place in the east. Two persons recently died from sunstroke in Pittsburgh and several more were prostrated by the heat. Come to Arizona where we have no such drawbacks to contend with.

THE chances are good that the Southern Pacific Company will build a railroad from Phenix to Prescott within the next six months, says the Phenix Gazette. President Huntington has said that his company proposed to build this line at an early day.

NOGALES now has two daily papers—the Daily Nogales and the Monitor—the last named being the latest venture. The Monitor is published by Bernal and Davila, and is half Spanish and half English. In all our experience we have never known but one paper to live any length of time published in two different languages, and that was The Bee, an English and French journal published at New Orleans before the late unpleasantness. We don't mention this, however, to discourage The Monitor, but wish it abundant success, for it is a neat newsy little sheet, and deserves the support of the people of Nogales.

THE Ohio Republican State Convention met at Columbus on the 7th instant, for the purpose of nominating a full state ticket. The present officials, from the Governor down, will be renominated. It is likely they will start a boom for McKinley as the next Republican candidate for president.

THE authorities at Harvard consider five hundred dollars a year an ample sum for a student to spend at that college. In the class of '91 were forty men who worked their way through, and twenty-five spent less than \$500. Three spent over \$3,000 a year, but these were far from being the best scholars.

A SUB-TREASURY official says one million dollars in gold coin will weigh exactly 3,685.8 pounds, or a ton and three quarters. A million dollars in silver weighs 58,929.9 pounds. A ton of pure gold, without alloy, is worth \$602,799.21; a ton of pure silver, \$37,704.84.

A NEW rain king has made his appearance at Topeka, Kansas, by the name of C. B. Jewel, who claims to have discovered Melbourne's secret and to have improved on it. After six hours work sending up his moisture producing gases into a clear sky, clouds began to gather and it rained for eight hours.

SAYS the Southwestern Stockman: It is pretty generally believed that Arizona will be admitted to statehood early in the special session of Congress this fall. This done, and one of the most important elections ever held in Arizona will be the result, and upon it depends the political future of the great state.

THE Tucson Citizen says: Of the Santa Cruz canal project, it is learned that the matter has by no means dropped. The senior Mr. Bemrose is in England negotiating for funds to continue work. This being successful he will then go on with the work. Nothing will be done, however, without funds to complete the work.

THE time for the visit of the Senatorial Committee to the several territories seeking statehood has been postponed. Senator Faulkner, of West Virginia, chairman of the committee, has notified the members and the territorial authorities that the trip to the territories to investigate the claims for statehood had been postponed, and that it is impossible to fix the date when the committee will start, owing to the inability of several members to determine when they can leave.

THE Baltimore Manufacturers' Record says: The Georgia watermelon has been taking a more and more prominent position in the shipments of Southern fruits to Northern points, and this present season will probably see the greatest crop ever grown. There are now growing nearly 30,000 acres of this fruit, and at an average yield this will give 15,000 carloads, which will be sold in the Northern markets.

Destroyed by Fire and Again at Work.

THE Price Baking Powder Company of Chicago, which is known throughout the country for the superior excellence of its Baking Powder, met with a serious loss on the morning of May 18th, in the nearly total destruction by fire of its factory and offices. No sooner had the flames been subdued than the work of restoration commenced, and the Company by prudent foresight, having had stored in outside warehouses duplicate machinery, labels and supplies of raw materials in preparation for any emergency was enabled by energetic management to resume manufacturing within a very few days after the fire, thereby causing its customers but a trifling delay in the filling of their orders. Had the Company not been so prepared the delay would have been very serious since it would have required months of time to get new machinery.

It is now forty years since the goods manufactured by this company were first placed on the market, to Dr. Price being due the distinction of having prepared the first can of Cream of Tartar Baking Powder ever manufactured in any country. It was a great discovery superseding as it did the old method of using cream of tartar and soda separately, to say nothing of saleratus, with which the biscuit of early days was embittered.

THE Price Company has no connection whatever with any other baking powder company or manufactures whose sole aim is to deceive the public and borrow the good name and fame acquired by the Price Cream Baking Powder, which is known all over the world as the purest and "most perfect made."

Tombstone was shaken up somewhat on Monday morning by an earthquake. It lasted for a brief period only, and came in two sections. The Prospector says it, occurred at 7 o'clock and many persons were awakened by the shock. It occurs to us that if the people of that city remain in bed until the day is so far spent, an earthquake disturbance is a mighty good thing, and was probably designed for the purpose of informing them, indirectly, that it was time to make preparations for dinner.—Stockman.

They say that one of our society dudes got into trouble the other night while promenading in the plaza. He mistook a Mexican senorita for his best girl, and did not discover his mistake until he had gone half way around the plaza and then had to apologize. He and his Sunday girl don't speak any more.—El Paso Monitor.

Desertions from the army are frequent and Fort Grant furnishes its quota, nine having deserted last week, of which number five were apprehended and returned.—Graham Bulletin.

The Ubiquitous Kid.

THE ubiquitous "Kid," for whom there is a standing reward of \$5000 for his capture dead or alive, revealed his presence on the San Carlos reservation about six miles from the agency, at or near the hot springs, on Monday evening last, and appropriated the youngest wife of Tonto Bill, Tag A. 35, and immediately left, but whither, is the question. The children of the captive squaw, boy and girl of tender years who were with her, he sent home, while he and his newly made bride, who is enciente and, consequently, somewhat clumsy, traveled in an opposite direction. The children say they know the Kid and are not mistaken as to his identity. They report him armed with a Winchester, having two belts of cartridges and a pair of new drawers strapped to his person, which he said he bought in Globe. He also was equipped with field glasses. The stolen squaw is remarkably white for an Indian, and is about twenty years of age. The disconsolate husband, with nine other bucks, was here in pursuit on Thursday, armed and otherwise equipped for a protracted hunt. They are going into the Sierra Anchas, thence via Salt river, Silver King and elsewhere. They have an educated youth with them as an interpreter, old enough to carry a gun and draw a bead on the Kid should it prove their good fortune to get sight of him. They are well informed as to the value of the Kid alive and for his head, for the purpose of identification, if killed in the effort to capture him.—Globe Silver Belt.

Although Texas belongs to the drainage basin of the Atlantic, its extreme western part, in El Paso County, is about two hundred miles nearer to the Pacific waters than to the Gulf of Mexico. A part of the pan handle is nearer to the Salt Lake of Utah than the Gulf of Mexico. Fourteen of the 228 counties are larger than the State of Delaware. The distance from El Paso to the eastern boundary of the state is as great as that from New York City to Chicago. The northwestern corner of the pan handle is as far from the southern boundary of Brownsville as Chicago is from Mobile. While the extreme northern part of Texas is in about the same latitude as Norfolk, the most southern part of the state is scarcely one hundred miles north of Key West.—Ex.

Last Tuesday steam was gotten up at the new saw mill and the machinery started for the first time. Frank Raynor one of the employees, in oiling the different parts of the machinery met with an accident which will cost him the use of his right hand. In oiling around the edger he carelessly reached over the top of the rapidly moving saw and in some unaccountable manner his arm came in contact. Dr. Johnson was summoned and after an examination pronounced the wound to be a bad one.—Williams News.

An Indian was accidentally knocked off a boat at Colorado Canyon, last week, and the sand getting into his clothes, bore him to the bottom. Thus, when the poor Indian adopts the white man's ways, disaster overtakes him. If he had stayed with the G string, he would be living to day, the boss of the harem.—Mohave Miner.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A. L. Walker is in receipt of a letter from William Garland, promoter of the Bowie and Globe railroad, dated at New York, informing him that arrangements were about completed for the construction of the railroad from Bowie to Fort Thomas. This will be welcome news to the people of this section, whose hopes of "riding on a rail" at an early date had commenced to wane. There is no reason, if the work of construction is begun this summer, why the road cannot be built to Fort Thomas before the end of the present year. The company expects substantial aid from the mining interests here for the completion of the Globe road.—Globe Silver Belt.

The Gatling gun was being shown to some ladies by Guard Soliday, who has charge of it. He removed as he supposed, all the cartridges in order to safely exhibit the manner of working the machine. While operating it, one cartridge which had stuck fell into place and was discharged. The ball struck the iron screen of a window in the laundry, which split the missile, one part hitting Brown about four inches above the right wrist, cutting an artery. The wounded man was removed to the hospital and his injury attended to by Prison Physician Cotter. The wound is not at all serious, as the piece of ball went into the fleshy part of the arm.—Yuma Times.

A criterion of the stock losses is the prosperity of a new business—collecting bones. S. Bonn is gathering bones from the dead stock on the prairie, for shipment to California. He says a carload consists of the bones of 900 dead cattle. And thus far he has collected and shipped four carloads. These were all collected within thirty miles of Tucson, and are by no means all in that area. The bones are found mostly along streams. Of course the bones of dead cattle of many years are picked up, but most of them are the '92 losses. The bones are shaken out of the dry hides.—Enterprise.

Another attempt to foist Sonora insane on Pima county occurred yesterday. An old Mexican woman was brought before Judge Wood, insane, she having been unloaded from a rickety affair of a vehicle. It was soon drawn out that she lived in Nogales, Sonora, and that her neighbors had made up a collection to pay the owner of the rickety rig, to bring her to Tucson, to be committed to the territorial asylum. The scheme didn't work. "You can load her again and take her back to Sonora," said Judge Wood. Pima county has enough insane, without those of Mexico." She was returned.—Tucson Citizen.

Dr. Briggs has been pronounced a heretic. Other good men have for ages suffered like odium. The world moves with them and later generations bless them for the heretical opinions that lifted the car of thought from the ruts and mires of ignorance and started it anew on the highway of progress, liberty, tolerance and humanity.—Alb. Citizen.

The White Hills Company want miners, wages \$3 per day, water 50c. per barrel, wood \$11 per cord and other things in proportion.—Mohave Miner.

Act 83, passed by the last legislature, will be in force after July 1, 1893.

By its provisions every merchant who sells \$8,000 worth of goods per quarter must pay a license of \$30 per quarter; between \$2,000 and \$8,000 he shall pay \$20 per quarter. Less than \$2,000 per quarter, will cost \$15.

All persons selling liquors in quantities of two gallons or over, whose sales aggregate \$20,000 per quarter, shall pay \$100 per quarter and less than \$12,000, calls for a license of \$75 per quarter.

Sales in quantities of less than two gallons and over one pint will cost the dealer \$30 per quarter, provided that saloon keeper may sell liquor in the amount last stated without paying an additional license to that paid as a retailer.

Saloon keepers in towns of over 800 population must pay a quarterly license of \$50; in towns under 800 and over 200, \$30; and less than 200 shall pay a license of \$12.

No license shall be exacted of physicians or apothecaries who use liquors for medicinal purposes.

Clothing drummers who take orders for outside concerns must pay \$30 a year. Peddlers on foot, \$30 per year and peddlers with wagon, \$120 per year, unless the stuff sold was raised or manufactured in Arizona by the vendor.

Traveling shows are to be taxed at \$10 per show.

Billiard tables must pay \$10 a quarter and pool tables the same, unless kept exclusively for family use.

Breweries are taxed as follows: \$10,000 sales per quarter, \$40; less than \$5,000 shall pay \$10 per quarter.

Insurance agents \$10 per quarter.

Pawnbrokers, \$30 per quarter.

It is made the duty of the sheriff to collect these taxes, for which he shall receive 5 per cent, commission.—Flagstaff Democrat.

Apolinar Figueroa, a Mexican just arrived from Phenix, called at the Courier office yesterday morning and exhibited some very rich looking gold and silver rock from two claims recently located by him 50 miles this side of Phenix. He thinks the claims are in Yavapai county, and comes here to find out and record them in the Yavapai office, if necessary. He states that the ledges are five feet in width, and ore horn spoons with fine results. He talks very little English and seems to want a moneyed partner to help him work the claim.—Prescott Courier.

Esteban Doremus, who has served two years in Yuma for the crime committed by Domingo Laguna at Fairbank, and who was brought to Tombstone as a witness, was returned yesterday. Application has been made to the governor for his pardon and he will soon be a free man.—Prospector.

While the percentage of cattle which perished the past season is very large, horses fared much better, and 'tis said that but a small per cent died. If horses are more hardy than cattle and the flesh as good, why not start horse meat markets, and slaughter them instead of beef. The ranges are overrun with mustangs for which there is no market and ranchers would be too glad to slaughter them for beef. Why not?—Prescott Courier.

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